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were injured in the first incident, and four died and 65 were wounded on the second occasion.

Kolar Gold Fields.—Police had to interfere and open fire on two occasions in 1930. One was killed and 67 were wounded.

- (c) Bangalore City None.
Kolar Gold Fields Once in 1930.

(d) Twenty-one cases were put up by the Police.

(e)—			No. of persons convicted.
C. C. No.			
326/29-30	....	....	11
625/29	....	....	1
74/29	....	....	16
454/29	....	....	1
9/30	....	....	3
61/26-27	....	....	6
70/28-29	....	....	12

In nine cases, the accused were either acquitted or discharged.

(f) Nil.

(g) About 40 per cent.

M. K. T. BHASHYAM Aiyangar (Special Interests).—

Q.—6. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) Whether it is a fact that only one set of dress is given to the prisoners to be worn day and night?

(b) Whether this set consists only of a pair of trousers, a shirt, a cap and a kambli?

(c) Whether it is a fact that a prisoner has to sweat in it by day and sleep in it by night?

(d) How long is a prisoner expected to wear it and when is a fresh set given?

(e) (i) Whether it is a fact that it is washed only once a week and (ii) the prisoner has to keep naked until it is dry for wear?

(f) What would be the cost of supplying another set of dress to each prisoner?

(g) Whether there is any objection to the prisoners getting from their relations a dhoty and a shirt to wear by night?

(h) Whether it is a fact that ragi is forced on every person as diet?

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(i) Whether it is a fact that butter-milk is not given to any prisoner?

(j) Whether it is a fact that European prisoners are given milk, coffee, sugar and ghee in addition to meat, rice, vegetables, etc.?

(k) Whether it is not a fact that butter-milk is an article of every day use in the Indian house-hold?

(l) What would be the cost of including butter-milk in prison diet?

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—6. (a) Yes.

(b) No.

(c) No.

(d) Ordinarily for 10 months. Extra supply is given when any of the clothes become unserviceable or on medical grounds.

(e) (i) Yes.

(ii) No. Until washed clothes are dried, the prisoner can use his kambli and one of his two short drawers or the 'langoti' cloth to cover his person.

(f) The cost for one set of clothing and bedding would be a minimum of Rs. 9.

(g) No objection in the case of prisoners undergoing simple imprisonment.

(h) Ragi is the prescribed food for Indian prisoners and it is given to every such prisoner. Cooked rice in addition to ragi is given to all prisoners under rigorous sentence and a full rice diet once a week is given to others.

(i) No. Butter-milk or curds are given on medical grounds and curds are given on Saturdays to vegetarian prisoners.

(j) Yes.

(k) Yes, in the household of certain classes of Indians.

(l) About Rs. 8 per head per annum.

MR. M. P. SOMASEKHARA RAO (Bangalore City Municipality).—

Q.—7. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) Whether in or about September 1930, the Military Grass Farm authorities fenced round S. No. 1 and portions of S. Nos. 2 to 7 of Challaghatta Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore Taluk?.